THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1770. THE NUMBER 220.

VIRGINIA GAZETTE.

Open to ALL PARTIES, but influenced by NONE.

Mr. RIND,

WE have lately had, and perhaps ſtill have, a ſtrange appearance in the Heavens, which, as it has not been already taken notice of to the public, may not be improperly communicated by this little account of it, that Gentlemen expert in aſtronomical enquiries, may, if they think proper, entertain your readers with ſome rational as well as probable conjecture about it. I firſt diſcovered, on Tueſday the 26th of June, at 9 in the night by my clock, a kind of hazy, though luminous bur in the ſky, reſembling what we frequently ſee about the moon, or leſſer planets, to our appearance; but it had no diſtinct body, that could be ſeen in it. The diameter of this bur was not large, but yet uncommon enough to attract the obſervation of every body preſent at that time. It was in its ſituation in the Heavens nearly perpendicular, which I had an opportunity of conſidering by the upright quoins of a pretty high houſe. As I intended to take notice of the courſe it ſhould move, I reſolved to riſe again, as ſoon as I waked, for another look at it; this happened at 12 by the ſame clock, and I found it had advanced about a fourth part of a ſuppoſed arch from the perpendicular ſituation in which it was firſt diſcovered, to the weſtern horizon. I looked at it again at 3 o'clock, and it had got about 45 degrees, or half way in that arch. I obſerved it till day-light began to advance, when we could ſee no more of it, and it had not reached the weſtern horizon by ſome diſtance of that arch. I reſolved to look for it on Wedneſday night exactly at the hour of 9, as before; and it had not got to the before perpendicular point, by near a fourth of ſuch an arch, imagined to be deſcribed to the eaſtern horizon from the perpendicular point; but by 12 it reached that point: From whence I concluded it had riſen in the eaſt, and by its vertical courſe, three hours earlier in the preceding day, than by its appearance it had riſen the day before, Wedneſday. On Thurſday the 28th, at the ſame hour, nine, it had gotten but half that ſuppoſed eaſtern arch, equal to 45 degrees; and as it did not reach the perpendicular point before 3 in the morning, I concluded it muſt have riſen the day before, at 3 o'clock in the evening, could we have ſeen it for the day-light. And as its progreſs continued really vertical (that is not oblique) from the eaſt to the weſt, as if purſuing the ſun, I began to imagine it might be ſome comet in its aphelion, or greateſt diſtance from the ſun, and therefore not having much knowledge in ſuch things, I looked into ſome extracts from Doctor Halley, where I fancied I found reaſon enough to be confirmed in my conjecture, that it was a comet in its earlieſt appearance, which, it ſeems, whilſt at their greateſt diſtance from the ſun, diſcover no tails, as they are called, but only a ſmall atmoſphere round their nucleus; and as they advance towards the ſun, by degrees, theſe tails appear oppoſite to the point of the ſun's influence upon them. On Friday night it was very cloudy, and ſo it continued on Saturday, and on Sunday all night; but on Monday, the 2d of July, that cloudy weather wearing off, ſome Gentlemen preſent were willing to look for this comet; but I told them I imagined it would hardly be ſeen that night, for, according to the proportion before taken notice of in its appearance, it muſt have riſen ſo early in the morning, that it muſt be ſet before day-light had ſhut in, and of courſe yet awhile any comet not nearer the ſun than that muſt be, could not be ſeen in the day; or poſſibly we might have diſcovered it ſome time in the day on Monday. Accordingly we could not find it in any direction from eaſt to weſt; but as thoſe clouds, in their clearing, ſettled into the north weſtern horizon, we ſaw the ſame ſtarry bur, in about a fourth of an arch ſuppoſed from the perpendicular point to the northern horizon; and by waiting till 12 to watch its progreſs, in ſuch an uncommon change of its ſituation, inſtead of moving weſtward, as it before had been obſerved, it went in an oblique tendency to the eaſt. As day-light advanced, we loſt ſight of it, though it did not ſet in any horizon: And on Tueſday the 3d of July no ſuch appearance was to be ſeen in the night, in any part of the Heavens, till near 3 o'clock in the morning, when, contrary to what I call a rational expectation, it roſe in the horizon a little to the northward of the north eaſt point, and bent its courſe till day-light advanced, in a different oblique progreſs to the ſouth; which really, to one not better acquainted with comets, muſt needs be very ſurprizing, as it had thus changed in ſo ſhort a time from my firſt obſerving it, from one horizon to another; ſince by the courſe that it took on Monday night the 2d of July to the eaſtward, it muſt have riſen ſome where in the weſt, quite oppoſite to what I at firſt diſcovered. And on Tueſday night it certainly changed its progreſs again, by riſing to the northward of the north eaſt, and making an oblique direction to the ſouth. I do not pretend to think this cannot be accounted for, but on the contrary I publiſh it with ſome view that the Gentlemen of ſkill in this ſcience, may give us a rational or probable ſolution of a phœnomenon ſo uncommon; for I have lived to ſee many comets, and cannot ſay I ever ſaw one ſo ſuddenly changeable in its ſituation and motions; nor indeed do I ever remember one that did not riſe but in ſome part of the eaſtern horizon. I have ventured to publiſh this very untechnical (I confeſs) though I muſt ſay pretty plain and juſt account of my obſervation upon this appearance, if the two horizons where I was can be allowed to be nearly equal; for in ſuch a caſe, with the perpendicular of the houſe, I had three probable directions to guide me, as to its riſing, and progreſs in the Heavens: I ſay I publiſh it in defiance to all the wit of your former correſpondent, A. B, and ſuch like bottlers of farcaſms, to be expended when they fancy an occaſion. However if that worthy Gentleman, or any other of his admiring friends, will look into ſome Engliſh accounts that came into America, of the comet that appeared laſt year in England, as well as here, they will perhaps find that his ridicule on the firſt account publiſhed of its appearance in Virginia, was nothing unſimilar to the accident, which was ſaid to happen to Dr. Franklin in one of his attempts to bottle lightning; and he muſt ſtand a chance of being knocked down, as the Doctor was, by thoughtleſsly venturing too far with his own high charged noddle. For it is very remarkable the method ſuggeſted in Virginia, for calculating the velocity of that comet by the ſeven ſtars, was taken in England, as it there alſo roſe once with thoſe ſtars, and moved nearly in the ſame direction; and I cannot help taking notice of this further particular circumſtance, that the velocity of the comet was in England ſet down in the ſame proportion of 3 to 1 with that of thoſe ſtars. And this, perhaps, by artiſts equally ſkilled in aſtronomy with Mr. A. B, though not equally ſtupid in ridiculing the attempts frequently and juſtly made all over the world, to reduce to ſomething of certainty the neceſſary diſcoveries of things unknown, by thoſe which are ſufficiently known, whenever they accidentally give an opportunity for ſuch attempts.——I ſaid in the beginning, perhaps we have ſtill this ſtrange appearance in the Heavens; but this only upon the preſumption of its obſerved quick tranſitions from one horizon, as well as from one part of the Heavens to another; for as it appeared in the north inclining to the eaſt, after it had ſeemed in a regular progreſſion to have finiſhed its courſe from eaſt to weſt, ſo, as every view of it would yet awhile be concealed by the day light, I did not know but in another ſudden tranſition it might be diſcovered in the ſouth, travelling to the north.——I have only to aſk pardon of the Gentleman ridiculed by A. B, for mentioning the circumſtance in the Engliſh papers, which ſufficiently pointed out A. B's folly, when he made his attack upon his familiar hint of the firſt appearance of laſt year's comet in Virginia; and I have done it purely becauſe I ſaw that Gentleman had not as yet thought proper to anſwer that *egregious* mortal, for, according even to Solomon's rule, fools are ſometimes made ſenſible of their folly, by hints from others, though poſſibly not intended to convince them of it; and what is a greater or more condemnable ſpecies of folly than an ill-timed flaſh of wit?

July 6, 1770. B. E.

CHARLES-TOWN, *May* 24.

GREAT BRITAIN loſes this year, by the reſolutions of this province alone, not to purchaſe ſlaves, or Britiſh goods generally, till America is relieved from the burthens it has complained of, no leſs a ſum than £. 300,000 ſterling, as a very moderate computation. Bleſſed conſequence of attempting to raiſe about £. 13,000 per annum in an unconſtitutional way, from all the colonies, to maintain a ſet of men who can only create confuſion and diſtruſt.

May 31 Laſt Tueſday morning, about nine o'clock, the elegant marble ſtatue of that true friend and undaunted aſſertor of the liberties of Britain and America, the Right Hon. WILLIAM PITT (done by Mr. Wilton, of London) was landed upon Charles Elliot, Eſq; his wharf, amidſt a vaſt concourſe of the inhabitants, many of them of the firſt rank and conſequence, who received it with three hearty cheers, and, preceded by muſic, after a flag had been fixed upon the caſe, drew it by hand in fifteen minutes to a ſhade, prepared for its reception at the Armoury; where it is to remain, till the foundation and pedeſtal are raiſed whereon it is to be erected. Nothing ever was conducted with greater order than this proceſſion; and (except *ſome* of the *lookers-on*, who *have been remarkable* for *diſtinguiſhing themſelves* upon too many occaſions) every one ſeemed highly pleaſed with the reſpect that was ſhewn to the great patriot, by ſuch a reception of his ſtatue. All the veſſels in the harbour, except three (one belonging to *Leith*, another to *Dundee*, &c.) diſplayed their colours upon this occaſion; and St. Michael's bells would have been rung, but were ſtopped out of regard to Iſaac Mayck, Eſq; a very worthy member of this community, who lives near that church, and lay extremely ill. When the ſtatue was lodged, the inhabitants made a handſome preſent to the ſeamen belonging to the ſhip; and their thanks are due to the owners, who have refuſed to take any freight for his ſtatue or appurtenances, conſiſting of no leſs than 57 heavy packages.

June 7. Yeſterday, laſt night, and this day, we had the moſt violent ſtorm of wind and rain here, that ever was known in this remarkably calm ſeaſon of the year. It began yeſterday about ten o'clock, and continued till this evening, the wind varying frequently from the E. N. E. to the S. S. E. The utmoſt violence of the gale was obſerved to be from two to four this morning; when, according to the common courſe, the tide ſhould have been the loweſt; elſe the ſwell, that muſt have been thrown into the harbour, would probably have overflowed the greateſt part of the town. It is yet impoſſible to aſcertain all the damages that have been ſuſtained along the ſea coaſt, and throughout the country; but, if we may judge, from what appeared here this morning, it muſt be very conſiderable. The following, however, is as particular an account of the accidents that happened, as a certain affecting family circumſtance has permitted us to give, from our own obſervation; in deſcribing which, we hope our readers will excuſe us for uſing ſo many tautologies as may occur, in relating a variety of incidents ariſing from one and the ſame cauſe, ſo that a ſameneſs muſt, in a great meaſure, run through the whole.

To begin at the northermoſt part of the town:

Mr. Gadſden's wharf there, though ſo extenſive and yet unfiniſhed, did not receive the leaſt damage: A proof of its firmneſs, and good conſtruction.

Mr. Ruſſel's received as little.

The ſouthermoſt corner of Mr. Roſe's was beat down by a ſchooner which drove and beat againſt it.

Miſs Wragg's received no injury.

Mr. Price's ſuffered a good deal of damage, both from the ſwell of the ſea, and ſeveral ſmall veſſels ſtriking againſt it. A ſchooner belonging to Thomas Bee, Eſq; was drove almoſt as high as the curtain-line, where another ſmaller one had her ſtern beat in.

Mr. Burn's wharves did not receive any conſiderable injury; but ſome ſchooners in his dock were damaged.

The head of Mr. Bereſford's wharf was a good deal torn by a large ſchooner ſtriking againſt it; and this veſſel, together with ſeveral others in his dock, ſuffered greatly, particularly one belonging to Daniel Horry, Eſq;

Mr. Champney's wharf ſuffered conſiderably, the head of it being entirely carried away. The brigantine Harriot, Captain Dawſon, loaded and ready to ſail for Jamaica, which lay there, was, with great difficulty, ſaved from being ſunk; her head and boom were carried away, two holes made through her ſide, her ſtern and quarters very much ſhattered, a good deal of her rigging and every thing off the deck loſt. The ſchooner Catharine, Capt. Jacobs, alſo ſuffered much by driving on board the Harriot, and beating againſt the heads of this and Mr. Bereſford's wharf, whereby a large breach was made through her bottom, below the counter, and ſeveral parts of her waſte and larboard bow beat in, ſo that ſhe muſt have ſunk, had not the forepart reſted on one wharf, and the aftermoſt on the other. In the dock, a ſmall ſchooner loaded with lime, belonging to Mr. Iſaac Leſeſne, ſen. ſunk, and was afterwards beat to pieces; two other lime boats belonging to Mr. Nathan Legare, and a ſmall ſchooner of Mr. James Simmons's, were likewiſe ſunk, and the ſtern of the latter entirely deſtroyed; a ſchooner of Mr. Prioleau's, and ſome others, were alſo damaged here.

The damage done to Col. Beale's wharf was inconſiderable, but Mr. Waldron's pilot boat was cruſhed between other veſſels in the dock, and ſunk; Mr. Spidal's pilot boat, Capt. Minot's ſchooner, of New-Providence, and Capt. Hunt's ſloop, of New-York, were much damaged there; Capt. Bachop's ſchooner, and Capt. Durfee's ſloop, Rhode-Iſland, alſo received ſome injury.

The head of Charles Elliot, Eſquire's, wharf is entirely thrown down. The Carolina packet, Capt. White, which lay there, had one of her quarter galleries beaten off, and the ſhip was otherwiſe damaged in one of her ſides, by the ſnow Polly, Capt. Raimer, beating againſt it; the latter loſing the rails of her head, her fore-chains, and having her cut-water looſened, and quarter much hurt.

The ſouth ſide of Mr. Motte's wharf alſo was conſiderably injured, as were the heads of the market, and Mr. Græmes wharves. In the dock, between the three, the ſloop Thomas and Anthony, which was loading for Dominica, had her ſtern broke, and was much ſhattered in her bows and ſtern; the ſchooner Savannah packet (under ſeizure) had two holes beat through her bottom, and ſunk; a ſchooner belonging to Archibald Stanyarne, Eſq; with 60 barrels of rice on board, was beat to pieces; as was a ſchooner loaded with wood, belonging to one George Kow, being all the ſubſtance the poor man acquired by long induſtry; the ſchooner Lloyd, belonging to Thomas Lynch, Eſq; was much damaged in her ſtern waſte, and bottom; another veſſel of the ſame kind, belonging to Charles Elliot, Eſq; had her ſtern entirely carried away to the very keel; and a ſmall ſchooner, belonging to Mr. Noddings, was ſunk; the ſloop Sukey and Nancy, Capt. Newbold, the ſchooner Thoroughgood, and another, belonging to Mr. Proleau, alſo received ſome damage here, and a great number of ſmall craft were entirely deſtroyed.

The head of Mr. Raven's wharf was beat away;

As was Mr. Eveleigh's. Here the Polly, Capt Minſhal, was a good deal damaged in her ſtern, ſtarboard quarter, and ſheathing, her rudder unhung, and the ſhip drove into the dock. In this dock, the ſchooner Experiment, of Bermuda, was overſet, turned bottom up, her bowſprit being carried away; the ſchooner Polly, Capt. Gillis, of Jamaica, had her ſtern, larboard quarter, both her ſides, and one of her bows, ſtove in; a ſchooner of Mr. Lind's, her ſtern beat in; and one of Mr. Grimkes's was alſo damaged; the ſloop Friendſhip, Capt. James, loaded for Barbados, loſt her bowſprit, her bows were beat in, beſides being otherwiſe hurt.

The head of William Roper, Eſquire's, wharf was carried away; the ſloop Dove, George Luſher, maſter, loaded and ready to ſail for Jamaica, was driven from thence upon the fortification, where ſhe ſuffered much in her bottom, and had ſix feet water in her hold. In the dock, a ſchooner belonging to Capt. George Summers, drove almoſt to the curtain-line, having two breaches made in her bottom; Mr. Robert Craft's ſchooner had her ſtern and bow beat in; the Hon. Henry Middleton's had one quarter ſtove; the Sally, Capt. Tucker, was much damaged; John Izard, Eſquire's, had one quarter of her whole broadſide deſtroyed; and one belonging to Zachariah Villepontoux, Eſq; was beat to pieces.

The front wall and whole fortification between Granville's and Broughton's baſtions, are entirely ruined; the repairs of which, it is ſuppoſed, cannot coſt leſs than 20,000 l. A ſchooner, belonging to Mr. Benjamin Roberts, was here daſhed to pieces; and the ſchooner Elizabeth, George Tyler, maſter, juſt arrived from Jamaica, had her ſtern and larboard quarter beat in down to the keel, the ſtern-poſt being carried away.

Mr. Lamboll's bridge is, in a manner, wholly deſtroyed.

A great number of ſmall boats, canoes, &c. were ſhattered, ſo as to be irreparable; but neither the Swallow packet-boat, the Fame, Thornton, the Good Intent, Philips, and the Aurora, M'Carty, which were at anchor in the ſtream, or the Tartar, M'Call, and the Elizabeth, Steel, which lay in Rebellion Road, received any harm.

A ſtorm of this fury and continuance having never been known at ſo early a ſeaſon, people took no care to provide againſt it, by ſecuring their veſſels; by which means greater damages ſuſtained, than otherwiſe might have been. But amidſt all this havock made by the winds and waves, and conſidering that the tempeſt raged with the greateſt violence, in the night between the 6th and 7th inſtant, we have reaſon to be thankful no lives were loſt.

June 7. Laſt Monday, being our Sovereign's birthday, when his Majeſty entered into the thirty third year of his age, the ſame was obſerved here as uſual, by diſplaying

of colours from the forts and ſhipping, firing of guns, a general muſter of the militia, and an elegant entertainment given, at Meſſrs. Dillon and Gray's tavern, by his Honour the Lieutenant Governor. In the evening there was an exhibition of fire-works, at the new barracks, by the artillery company, which exceeded any thing of the kind ever attempted here before, but *we* will not have the aſſurance to impoſe on the public, by mentioning *illuminations*, &c. The people here are not hypocrites. They will not diſſemble joy, while they feel themſelves unkindly treated, and oppreſſed, nor can that gloom which now overſpreads all Britiſh America, be diſpelled, but by its inhabitants being reſtored to their conſtitutional rights and freedom. Then indeed, demonſtrations of joy will be abundant.

June 22. On Monday morning laſt, the effigy of a woman, of one of the firſt families in this town (for we are no reſpecters of perſons) who had violated the reſolutions of this province, to which ſhe was a ſigner, made its public appearance in Broad-ſtreet, fixed in a pillory, with ſeveral labels about her, and remained there unmoleſted, until 10 o'clock, when the Hon. Colonel BEALE, Preſident of his Majeſty's Council, being deſirous of giving a notable inſtance of his zeal, and fearing that ſome evil diſpoſed perſons might attempt to take down the effigy, and thereby diſappoint the people of treating it with the full contempt the perſon it repreſented deſerved, took an opportunity, when ſcarce any body was about it, of going in perſon, ſword in hand, to have it taken down and ſecured in the guard houſe; from whence it was in the evening re-delivered to the populace, who, after carting it through all the principal ſtreets, in their way gratefully giving the good old Colonel three hearty cheers, conveyed it to the green, where it was burnt.

Hence take warning all who would violate the reſolutions, ſince even the Preſident of the Council, will not protect you in your infamous purpoſes.

Captain William Thornton, of the ſhip Fame, of Dundee, ſuppoſing himſelf to have been pointed at in a paragraph inſerted in our laſt, has deſired us to acquaint the public, that his being out of town when Lord Chatham's ſtatue was landed, was the ſole cauſe of his ſhip's colours not being diſplayed on that day.

BOSTON, *June* 28.

A letter from Connecticut mentions, that the univerſal conſternation the contents and purport of the late letter they received from the trade at New-York gave the people of all ranks there, was eaſier to be conceived than expreſſed, nor to be conceived but by thoſe who have been preſent at news of ſome public misfortune firſt ſpreading.

NEW-YORK, *July* 2.

On Monday morning laſt, at the houſe of Mr. Hollingſhead in Burlington, New-Jerſey, departed this life, in the 56th year of his age, JAMES PARKER, Eſq; late of this city, printer, comptroller and ſecretary of the poſt office for the northern diſtrict of the Britiſh colonies. Till of late he uſually reſided at his houſe in Woodbridge, New-Jerſey, where he was a magiſtrate and Captain of a troop of horſe. His remains were attended for five miles out of Burlington by a conſiderable number of Gentlemen of that place, and at Amboy on Tueſday, met by a like number, who attended the corpſe to Woodbridge, where a numerous congregation aſſembled at his houſe, and about ſix o'clock he was interred near his parents in the meeting-houſe yard. The ſervice was performed by the Rev. Mr. Preſton, miniſter of the church at Amboy.

Mr. PARKER has carried on the printing buſineſs, chiefly in New-York, and ſome time in New-Jerſey, for about thirty years, and was eminent in his profeſſion. He poſſeſſed a ſound judgment, and extenſive knowledge: He was induſtrious in buſineſs, upright in his dealings, charitable to the diſtreſſed, and has left a fair character, on which we have neither time nor room to enlarge.

PHILADELPHIA, *July* 9.

They write from Charles-Town, that the laſt advices from England ſtill ſay, they had hopes that the duty on tea exported to America would be taken off by Parliament, before the end of the ſeſſion.

We learn, that the Board of Commiſſioners have wrote home, to be removed from Boſton, when they will make their den in the city or New-York, but ſome of them ſay New-York will be the place, as they will then be under the wing of the General, &c.

We have had the weather extreme hot, ſo that three or four labouring people died by imprudently drinking cold water.

We are ſorry to ſay, a few perſons, in defiance of the general cauſe of this province, have privately landed ſundry packages of goods, from aboard the ſhip Sharp, Capt. Spier, from Glaſgow; their conduct is however under the inſpection of the merchants committee, to whom if the delinquents don't make ample ſatisfaction, they will be dealt with by the mechanicks committee.

WILLIAMSBURG, *July* 26.

To a FRIEND, with a borrowed GUINEA returned.

I.

AUSPICIOUS Orb! whoſe chearful Glow
Diſpels the ſable Clouds of Woe;
And circling this terreſtrial Ball
Like the gay Sun enlivens all;

II.

Remitted to a gracious Friend,
My undiſſembled Love commend;
And (ſuch the Intereſt Poets pay)
Chink in his Ear this moral Lay.

III.

"Lo, I return with brighter Beam!
"Beneficence refines my Gleam:
"O may I ever ſacred be
"To Friendſhip and Humanity!

IV.

"So ſhall my Rays, when yonder Light
"Is ſhaded in eternal Night,
"Above the Wreck of Nature riſe,
"And glitter in immortal Eyes."

☞ In Stanza 4th, of the Elegy in laſt Week's Paper, for *claſhing Honors* read *bluſhing Honors*.

A liſt of the Gentlemen who have ſigned the ASSOCIATION *in* NORFOLK.

Charles Thomas,
John Calvert,
Matthew Phripp,
Paul Lovall,
W. R. W. Curle,
Alexander Moſeley,
Baſſett Moſeley,
James Holt,
James Cocke,
Joſeph Calvert,
George Abyvon,
Maſon Miller,
John Wilſon,
John Maclean,
Edward Archer,
Hardreſs Waller,
James Murphree,
John Bayns,
James Maxwell,
James Taylor,
James Dunn,
Edmund Heeton,
Nicholas Wonycott,
James Atkinſon,
John Lee,
John Greenwood,
Thomas Clark,
Charles Godfrey,
Theodorick Munford,
Thomas Thompſon,
Nathaniel Bouſh,
Edward Pugh.
Edward Strong,
Charles Odeon,
William Colley,
James Simmonds,
Edward Wilder,
Chriſtopher Calvert,
William Wood,
Eldred Fiſher,
John Selden,
John Cramond,
Samuel Bouſh,
William Aitchiſon,
Walter Lyon,
Lewis Hansford,
Robert Elliot,
Mark Talbot,
John Branan,
William Lewelling,
John Hardy.
James Wallace,
John Tatem,
Richard Butt,
Robert Allen,
William Brett,
Joſhua Wright,
George Bell,
Arthur Bouſh,
James Nicholſon,
Wright Weſtcott,
John Richardſon,
Matthew Godfrey,
Nicholas Poole,
Charles Short,
John Brickell,
John M'Locklan,
George Allinſon,
William Clancy,
James Campbell, & co.
Alexander Love,
Richard Brown,
John Newton Cooke,
Freer Armſton,
William Chitholm,
Maximilian Calvert,
Joſeph Hutchings,
Samuel Calvert,
John Eve,
Peter M'Nabb,
James Cunningham,
Samuel Bacon,
Joſeph Pope,
George Jackſon,
John Smith,
John Baker,
John Colvill,
Robert Steele,
John Bouſh,
Richard Kelſick,
Thomas Price,
Alexander Bell,
Robert Brett,
Charles Cooper,
Robert Fry,
William Bickardick,
William Skinker,
James Cooper,
Peter Bieſor,
John Fiſe,
Thomas Davis, jun.
Paul Heeritter,
Daniel Darby,
Henry Ritter,
Griffin Peart,
William Stevenſon,
John Dyſon,
William Marſh,
Lemuel Langley,
Francis Miller,
Stephen Tankard,
Aaron Barber,
Samuel Portlock,
Benjamin Newbold,
George Shore,
Nicholas Powell,
Richard Bickardick,
Peter Taylor,
John Lewelling,
John Wills,
Baultis Ekard,
Joſeph Grear,
William Walker,
John Williams,
Thomas Oakes,
Philip Carbery,
Matthew Kelley,
John Davis,
John Gardner,
Barnabas Lorrain,
William Wilder,
Anthony Singleton,
Joſeph Langley,
John Conner,
Timothy Cooper,
John Smith,
Caleb Herbert,
Willis Bramble,
Roger Pearſe.

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THE LAWS of the laſt SESSION of ASSEMBLY. Thoſe who chooſe to ſubſcribe for them, to compleat their Copies of the new reviſed BODY of LAWS, are deſired to ſend in their Names immediately to the Printer hereof, otherwiſe no more will be printed than will ſupply the Country.

On Wedneſday *the* 15th *of* Auguſt *next, will be expoſed to ſale, for ready money, or bills of exchange, at* Jefferſon's *ferry, in* Mecklenburg *county,*

THE ſaid ferry and land, containing 44 acres and a half, together with ſix very likely Negro fellows, 12 head of horſes, 60 head of cattle, 20 head of hogs, 20 head of ſheep, and ſundry houſhold furniture, conveyed by deed of truſt from GEORGE JEFFERSON to HENRY DELONY.

FREDERICK, *July* 2, 1770.

THE ſubſcriber thinks proper to inform the public, that he purpoſes beginning to inoculate the SMALL-POX on the 12th day of *September* next, and to continue the ſame until *July* following, at his houſe, ſix miles from *Winchеſter*: The ſituation healthful and agreeable. The terms for each patient TWO PISTOLES for inoculation, and 20s. a week for board.

He flatters himſelf that his experience in *Europe*, and his repeated ſucceſs in inoculating in this county, will render any account of his being regularly qualified, unneceſſary. To theſe he chuſes to appeal, rather than ſpeak confidently of himſelf.

Patients may depend upon every neceſſary accommodation; likewiſe the greateſt care and tenderneſs; and need not be under any apprehenſion of confinement.

JOHN M'DONALD.

GEORGE the Third, by the grace of GOD, of *Great-Britain, France*, and *Ireland*, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. To the Sheriff of *Amelia* county, Greeting. We command you that you ſummon *John Hightower*, to appear before our Juſtices of our Court of Chancery, of our ſaid county, at the Courthouſe, on the fourth *Thurſday* in *July* next, to anſwer a bill in Chancery, exhibited againſt him and *George Hightower*, by *Neil Buchanan*, jun. and this he ſhall in no wiſe omit, under the penalty of 100l. and have then there this writ. Witneſs, *Thomas Griffin Peachy*, Clerk of our ſaid Court, at the Courthouſe, the 28th day of *June*, in the tenth year of our reign.

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T. G. PEACHY.

ESSEX county, *July* 10, 1770.

I HEREBY give notice to all whom it may concern, that I have purchaſed a veſſel, and intend to follow the water, and as I muſt neceſſarily be often out of this colony, have appointed Mr. *John Stewart Chilton* my lawful attorney, to receive all ſums of money due to me, and to pay all my juſt debts, in my abſence. JOHN A. SAMFORD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there are now remaining in *Osborne*'s Warehouſe, in *Cheſterfield* county, two hogſheads of tobacco, marks, numbers, weights, and names, as follow, which have been inſpected upwards of three years.

W. No.	Groſs.	Nett.	Tare.	
1890	1270	1154	116	*Nicholas Hudſon.*
545	1090	982	108	*Peter Beaſely.*

EDWARDS & GRYMES.

COMMITTED to the priſon of *York*, a Negro boy, who ſays his name is *William Florence*, about 16 years of age, pretends that he is free, and was born in the *Indian* town on *Pamunkey* river, he is 5 feet 3 inches high, has a ſmiling countenance, and is remarkably pert when ſpoke to. If ſuch a lad hath abſconded from ſervice, the owner may get him on paying charges to W. MITCHELL.

COMMITTED to *Caroline* county priſon the 27th of *June*, a Negro man, about 5 feet 6 inches high, about 50 years old, cloathed in the common way, ſays his name is TOM. He formerly belonged to Col. *Bernard Moore*, and now to one of the *Randolphs*, on *James* river, but cannot tell which. His maſter is deſired to pay charges and take him away.

FRANCIS COLEMAN.

RUN away on *Saturday* night laſt, from the ſubſcriber in *Alexandria, Fairfax* county, an indented ſervant man named *Michael Tracey*, born in *Ireland*, 25 years of age, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, fair complexion, pitted with the ſmall-pox, and freckled, wears his own hair, a little curled, by trade a bricklayer, and has ſome notion of the ſlight of hand, forward in ſpeech, though but little of the dialect. Had on and took with him, when he went away, one fine mixed plain cloth coat, half lined and half worn, new fuſtian waiſtcoat, new black ſtocking breeches, new Ruſſia drill ditto, country made thread ſtockings, much blued, one pair new turned pumps, one felt hat, with ſome old cloaths, which he may perhaps wear. Whoever ſecures the ſaid runaway, ſo that I may have him again, ſhall receive *three pounds* reward if taken up out of the colony, and *forty ſhillings* reward if taken up in the colony, over and above what the law allows. All maſters of veſſels are forewarned not to harbour or convey him away at their peril.

ANDREW WALES.

RICHMOND county, *July* 14, 1770.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, on *Friday* the 13th inſt. a convict ſervant man, named *Samuel Bayley*, a joiner by trade, imported laſt *February* in the *Juſticia*, Capt. *Somerville*, he is about 24 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, freſh coloured, has a remarkable clumſey make, and his legs ſeem ſwelled; his dreſs a blue plains jacket and breeches, new oznabrig ſhirt, and large country made ſhoes; and took with him one old light brown wig, new oznabrig trowſers, and old hat. Whoever apprehends the ſaid ſervant, and delivers him to the ſubſcriber, ſhall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward.

WILLIAM BUCKLAND.

CAME to the ſubcriber's plantation, in *Louiſa* county, laſt fall, a pale yellow ſteer, with ſome white about him, 3 years old next ſpring, marked with a crop and over keel in the right ear, crop and under keel in the left. Whoever owns the ſaid ſtray, may have him by proving his property, and paying as the law directs. Poſted and appraiſed to 1l. 10s.

RICHARD PHILLIPS, jun.

STRAYED or ſtolen from *Cumberland* town, a likely grey mare, about 4 feet 1 or 2 inches high, with a hanging mane, and ſwitch tail, ſhe has a white ring round her left fore foot, occaſioned by a rope. Whoever will bring the ſaid mare to me, in *New-Kent* county, ſhall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward.

JOHN BAILEY, jun.

To be SOLD *at* Northumberland *Courthouſe, on the* 2d Monday *in* Auguſt *next, being court day,*

SIX thouſand pounds of TOBACCO. Credit to be given till the 2d *Monday* in *October* next, on giving bond and good ſecurity to the Sheriff.

EIGHT POUNDS REWARD.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living near *Elk-Ridge* church, *Anne Arundel* county, on the 30th day of *April*, 1770, four ſervant men. Two are the property of *Charles Hammond*, jun. *viz.* JOHN CULLEN, a young man about 5 feet 10 inches high; had on when he went away, an old blue coat, and ſundry other wearing apparel, not known. PATRICK RILEY, middle aged, and narrow faced; had on when he went away, a felt hat, yarn ſtockings, a worſted cap, and ſundry other cloaths, not known.

The other two are the property of Dr. *Ephraim Howard*, *viz.* HUGH LACY, about 5 feet 10 inches high, and pock marked; had on when he went away, an old brown cloth coat, ſtriped woollen jacket, blue yarn ſtockings, check ſhirt, ſtriped breeches, and a pair of old ſhoes; he ſays he is a farmer. JOHN HUGHS, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, full faced, well ſet, and of a middle age; when he went away, he was dreſſed much in the ſame manner as the old man, and likewiſe calls himſelf a farmer. They are all *Iriſh*, and have been but a few days from on board the ſhip, and all have a peculiar ſmell incident to all ſervants juſt coming from ſhips. It is ſuppoſed that the old man has been in the country before, and make no doubt but every artifice will be uſed to paſs, eſpecially that of changing their cloaths and names.

Whoever takes up and brings the ſaid fellows to their maſters, ſhall have THIRTY SHILLINGS for each, and if out of the province FORTY SHILLINGS currency, paid by

CHARLES HAMMOND, jun.
EPHRAIM HOWARD, ſon of Henry.

TAKEN up in *James City*, a ſmall dark bay mare, branded on the near buttock S. Poſted, and appraiſed to 2l. 5s. WILLIAM DENNIS.

FREDERICKSBURG, *July* 10, 1770.

I HAVE juſt compleated a MERCHANT-MILL within 200 yards of *Fredericksburg*, and convenient to a landing, where ſea-veſſels may quickly load, that do not draw more than ten feet water. I expect to be able to manufacture upwards of 20,000 buſhels of wheat in a year, which is more than my preſent ſtock can afford to ſupply the mill with, without ſome aſſiſtance of my friends.

I therefore propoſe to manufacture wheat for merchants or others, on the following moderate terms: I will grind, boult, and pack the flour, coarſe and fine, for four pence ſterling for every buſhel of wheat delivered to me, and deliver all the bran; or for three pence ſterling if the bran is left as my own, and I ſhall charge no more than one ſhilling and four pence ſterling for each flour barrel and nailing, and one ſhilling and eight pence ſterling for each bread barrel and nailing, and I will deliver it at the landing, or the mill, as the owner may chooſe. I cannot undertake to manufacture a leſs quantity than 100 buſhels for any one perſon on the above terms; a leſs quantity I ſhall require the uſual toll for; and if the merchants in my neighbourhood, or elſewhere, will encourage me largely, I will agree, not only to take my pay in wheat for manufacturing, if they chooſe it, at the market price, but for whatever flour or ſhip bread they may buy of me, I will agree to take one third part of the price in *Weſt India*, or other goods, at the market price, and the other two thirds in caſh, on three months credit.

I am ready to treat with any Gentleman who may be willing to make a trial of this trade, which I think would be to our mutual advantage, eſpecially as the people of this country (now going largely on making wheat) will pay the merchants in that commodity. I would recommend to all dealers in wheat, to buy none but what is threſhed or trod out on a plank floor, and to weigh it, and if it turns out 60lb. per buſhel, the profit will be worth while, as well to the maker as the buyer, but if under that ſtandard, the real loſs will be equal to a penny a pound, for what it falls ſhort of that weight in each buſhel. I am willing to contract for a number of years for the purchaſe of wheat, and for the ſale of flour and ſhip bread. ROGER DIXON.

EIGHTY very likely

SLAVES,

Chiefly *Virginia* born, will be ſold at *Albemarle* courthouſe, on *Thurſday* the 9th of *Auguſt* next; 45 for ready money, or good merchants notes payable at the *October* General Court, and 35 upon credit till *June* next. Since my advertiſement in Mr. *Rind*'s paper, this additional number has fallen into my hands.

JOHN HAWKINS.

To be SOLD *at* Hanover *court-houſe*, *on the 1ſt* Thurſday *in* September *next*, *being court-day*,

THE valuable tract of land called SCOTCH TOWN, in that county, containing 4,600 acres, either intire, or in parcels, as ſhall ſuit purchaſers. A reaſonable credit will be given, to be made known at the day of ſale.

On the third *Thurſday* in *September*, at *King William* court-houſe, being that court day, will be ſold, on the ſame terms, the MANSION-HOUSE of the late *John Robinſon*, Eſq; in *King* and *Queen* county, with upwards of 1300 acres of high land, and above 600 acres of marſh adjoining. Bond and ſecurity to be given to

EDMUND PENDLETON, } Adm^rs.
PETER LYONS, }

On Thurſday *the 16th of* Auguſt *next*, *being* Suſſex *court day*, *will be ſold to the higheſt bidder*, *at* Suſſex *court-houſe* (*if a court*, *if not at the ſucceeding court*)

SEVEN thouſand five hundred twenty ſix pounds of tranſfer tobacco, being the public depoſitum in the ſaid county. Credit will be given until the 25th of *October* next, the purchaſer giving bond, with approved ſecurity, to *Robert C. Nicholas*, Eſq; Treaſurer of the colony of *Virginia*, agreeable to the act of Aſſembly for raiſing a public levy.

At the ſame time will be ſold, for ready money, by the caſhier for the ſaid county, and by the churchwardens of *Albemarle* pariſh, in the ſaid county of *Suſſex*, about 30,000 pounds of tranſfer tobacco, for the benefit of the ſaid county and pariſh; at which time all perſons who have any legal demand againſt the county and pariſh aforeſaid, are deſired to attend, that they may receive ſatisfaction. WILLIAM MASON, D. Sheriff.

To be SOLD, *on* Wedneſday *the 8th day of* Auguſt *next*, *in* Brunſwick *county*, *near* Taylor's *bridge*,

ALL the perſonal eſtate of *Thomas Perſon*, deceaſed, conſiſting of 16 very likely NEGROES; alſo horſes, cattle, hogs, and ſheep; and ſundry other things too tedious to mention. Six months credit will be allowed for all ſums above 25s. giving bond and approved ſecurity to

JESSE WILLIAMSON, Adm^r.

For LIVERPOOL,
Now lying in Pamunkey *river*, *at* Holt's *landing*, *a little below Col.* Ruffin's *ferry*, *the ſhip* Totneſs, John Hudſon, *commander*,

WHICH will take in tobacco, on liberty of conſignment, at 8l. ſterling per ton, and will ſail by the 15th of *September* next. Thoſe inclinable to ſhip, are deſired to ſend their notes, or orders, to Mr. *Peter Lyons* in *Hanover*, Mr. *William Todd* at *Todd*'s Warehouſe, Mr. *John Lewis* in *Williamsburg*, or to the Captain on board.

PORTSMOUTH, *July* 17, 1770.

THE partnerſhip of *Marſden*, *Hodgſon*, and company, being diſſolved by the death of one of their partners, who reſided in *Great-Britain*, I requeſt the favour of all perſons that have accounts open with that concern to call on me, and have them cloſed. Thoſe indebted are requeſted to make ſpeedy payment, or to give bond, with good ſecurity, for their reſpective balances. Thoſe the concern are indebted to will be ſettled with, and paid off, agreeable to my agreements with them. All accounts not paid off, or bond and ſecurity given for between this and next *October* General Court, will be ſued for, without further notice, by the ſubſcriber, who is the only acting partner in *Virginia*, and cannot give further indulgence.

6w JAMES MARSDEN.

SUSSEX, *July* 11, 1770.

THE ſubſcriber intending, in a few weeks, to take his paſſage for *Britain*, begs leave to make his grateful acknowledgments to thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen, who have hitherto employed him; and as he purpoſes to return to this LAND of LIBERTY as ſoon as poſſible, hopes for a continuation of their employ. He alſo requeſts that thoſe who have omitted ſending the money for the repairing their watches, would do it as ſoon as may be, that he may be the better enabled to accompliſh his deſign, in going to *Britain*. He expects to depart the colony by the middle of *Auguſt* at fartheſt. WILLIAM WYLIE.

FREDERICKSBURG, *July* 10, 1770.

WHEREAS my wife *Dorothy* having behaved herſelf unſeemly towards me, I hereby forewarn all perſons dealing with her, as I will not pay any debts by her contracted. B. JOHNSTON.

WHOEVER drew the following half acre lots in Col. *Byrd*'s lottery, *viz.* 132, 146, and 174, may hear of a purchaſer by applying to the printer hereof. 2

I INTEND for *Great-Britain* ſoon.

MARY JOBB.

COMMITTED to the gaol of *Elizabeth City* county, on *Monday* the 2d day of *July*, a likely Negro man named *Abraham*, who ſays he is the property of Mr. *John Calloway*, of *Bedford* county. He appears to be a young fellow, is about 5 feet 4 inches high, very black, has a down look, and a very deceitful ſmile when he ſpeaks. The owner is deſired to ſend for the ſaid Negro, and pay charges to

EDWARD HURST, Gaoler.

TAKEN up in *Bedford* county, near the court-houſe, a bay horſe colt, 3 years old, neither docked nor branded, a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, his left ear cropped, and a ſmall ſlit in his right ear. Poſted, and appraiſed to 3l. 10s. ZACHARIAH MORRIS.

TAKEN up in *Bedford* county, within five miles of the court-houſe, a bay mare, about two years old, not docked nor branded, trots all, with a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, not well grown. Poſted and appraiſed to 2l. 17s. 6d. DAVID IRVINE.

PURSUANT to an Act of Aſſembly, on *Monday* the 8th day of *October* next, will be expoſed for ſale on the premiſes, 2740 acres of land, belonging to the eſtate of *William Armiſtead* Eſq; deceaſed, lying in the county of *Middleſex*, on the rivers *Rappahannock* and *Piankatank*; the land will be laid off in lots, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers. Six months credit will be allowed for one half the purchaſe money, and twelve months for the remainder, on giving bond, with approved ſecurity to

RALPH WORMELEY,
WILLIAM CHURCHILL, } Truſtees.
PHILIP L. GRYMES,

N. B. The truſtees may be treated with at any time before the day of ſale, at their reſpective dwelling-houſe, in the county aforeſaid.

COMMITTED to the gaol of *Elizabeth City* county, on *Tueſday* the 3d of *July*, an old Negro fellow, near 6 feet high, has had a burn on the left hand, which renders it almoſt uſeleſs; he ſays he is the property of Mr. *Henry Shelton*, of the province of *South-Carolina*. The owner is deſired to ſend for him, and pay charges to

EDWARD HURST, Gaoler.

July 2, 1770.

To be SOLD *to the higheſt bidder*, *on the premiſes*,

MY LAND and PLANTATION, lying in the county of *Hanover*, reſerving to myſelf the benefit of an action depending in the General Court, which I have commenced againſt *John Richarſon*, &c. for the non-compliance of a certain engagement, ſaid *Richarſon*, &c. entered into, of and concerning ſaid land and premiſes; the ſale to be on the firſt *Saturday* in *Auguſt* next, to be entered on the 25th day of *December* next. Long credit for the greateſt part of the purchaſe money, viz. 25l. to be paid the 25th of *December* next, three years credit for the remainder, the purchaſer giving bond and good ſecurity to pay one third every *Chriſtmas* after, until the whole is paid. The above land and plantation lies in the fork of *Pamunkey*, about 5 miles above the *South River* bridge, on the main road to *Page*'s ware-houſe. There is on the premiſes a good dwelling houſe, and all convenient out houſes, about 2400 bearing apple trees, moſt part of which are of the prime *Hughes*'s *Crab*, and ſufficient nurſeries to keep the old orchards in repair; alſo between 7 and 8000 bearing peach trees of all ſorts. The place aforeſaid is very convenient for a merchant. *Robert Williams*, of *Charlotte* county, is lawfully empowered to ſell the ſaid land, and make a conveyance in fee ſimple, who will attend the ſale. JOHN WILLIAMS.

Maaryland, Mouth of Wicomoco, North Potowmack.

THE ſubſcriber who ſtudied in *France*, *Germany*, *Holland*, and *England*, has been a practitioner in phyſic and ſurgery in *Maryland* 20 years, having inoculated many hundreds of Ladies and Gentlemen without the loſs of one patient, will take in another company the 21ſt of *May*, and continue ſo to do every fifth week after until *Chriſtmas*. His houſe is on the *St. Mary's* county ſide of the mouth of *Wicomico* river, *North Potowmack*, convenient to come to the door by water. Thoſe who do him the favour to truſt themſelves to his care, will experience the tendereſt and politeſt treatment, be boarded for four weeks if they chooſe, every thing found during that time, inoculation included, for FIVE POUNDS, *Maryland* currency.

May 21, 1770. 5 HENRY JERNINGHAM.

TAKEN up, in *Cumberland* county, on *Muddy Creek*, a ſmall dark bay horſe, about 4 feet 2 or 3 inches high, has no brand to be ſeen, has a hanging mane and ſwitch tail, has ſome ſaddle ſpots on his back, a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, is ſhod before, and paces looſe; he is about 5 or 6 years old. Poſted, and appraiſed to 2l. 10s.

EDWARD WALTON.

ACCOMACK, *July* 5, 1770.

Mr. EDWARD STUBBLEFIELD,

SIR,

ON ſeeing your advertiſement in the ſupplement to Mr. *Rind*'s Gazette, *May* 10, 1770, publiſhing ſundry carpenters and joiners tools ſtolen from you, near *Kennon*'s Warehouſe, we cauſed to be apprehended, and brought before a Magiſtrate, a certain *George Churn*, in whoſe cuſtody were found tools anſwering, in every reſpect, to thoſe deſcribed in your advertiſement. He was bound in a recognizance for his future appearance, to be dealt with according to law: We therefore hope you will appear at *Accomack* Court-houſe, before the 24th of this month, to make appear whether the tools are yours or not, as it was upon your account that he was taken into cuſtody; and moreover we are informed that he talks of offering you a ſum of money to induce you not to claim the ſtolen goods, in order to eſcape with impunity, and entitle himſelf to an action againſt thoſe concerned in apprehending him. If villians were thus to elude the law, and triumph over juſtice, every prudent man would be cautious of paying the leaſt attention to yours, or any other ſtranger's advertiſement.

JAMES ARBUCKLE.
THOROWGOOD SMITH.
SEVERN GUTRIDGE.

N. B. The tools, and ſome other articles, which we advertiſed in Mr. *Rind*'s Gazette, was taken ſome time before *Churn* could be apprehended: And as we then ſuppoſed he would leave the place, we were deſirous of reſtoring the tools to the perſon or perſons from whom they had been taken.

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FOR SALE,

TWELVE hundred acres of fine LAND, in *Suſſex* county, 7 miles below the courthouſe: It joins *Nottoway* river for about one mile, which affords plenty of fiſh, and makes near 100 acres of low grounds, well ſtocked with cypreſs and other timber: In the banks are plenty of ſhells, very good for lime. Great part of the high lands are rich, and fit for tobacco. which is not common in that part of the country. Mr. *Benjamin Cleamonds*, and Mr. *Thomas Gilliam*,, will ſhew the lands to thoſe inclinable to purchaſe.

J. SYME.

ELIZABETH City, *June* 29, 1770.

THOSE perſons that have any claims againſt the eſtate of the late Mr. *William Weſtwood*, deceaſed, are deſired to make them known; and thoſe that are indebted to ſaid eſtate, are deſired to pay the ſame by the laſt day of *Auguſt* next, or give good ſecurity, otherwiſe ſuits will be commenced without further notice in the General Court, for all ſums above ten pounds.

To be SOLD, *purſuant to the will of the ſaid Mr.* WESTWOOD, *the following tracts and pieces of land*, viz.

ONE tract in *Charles* pariſh, *York* county, purchaſed of *Thomas Trotter*, containing 103 acres; alſo 100 acres, drawn in the Hon. *William Byrd*'s lottery, No. 825; ſome lots in the town of *Blandford*; one tract in *Elizabeth City*, about a mile from *Hampton*, with a commodious brick dwelling-houſe, and other out houſes, containing 110 acres; alſo a piece, purchaſed of *Richard Street*, containing 30 acres, near *Hampton*. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe either of the above tracts or pieces of land, may know the terms by applying to JAMES WALLACE, HENRY KING, } Exrs.

WESTOVER, *July* 3, 1770.

IT gives me great concern to find I am obliged once more, to apply in this public manner to thoſe Gentlemen who have not as yet paid for the lottery tickets they bought of me. I diſpoſed of a fine eſtate in order to ſettle my affairs and do juſtice to every body I had dealings with, but to my very great diſappointment, I have not received a third part of the money the tickets ſold for. I therefore hope I ſhall be excuſed for giving poſitive inſtructions to Mr. *Thomas Everard* and Mr. *Bartelot Anderſon*, to bring ſuits immediately againſt all perſons whatever, who do not pay them on their firſt application. W. BYRD.

AS the STORE lately kept at *Todd's Bridge*, on account of Meſſ. *Mitchell* and *Elliot*, by the ſubſcriber, is now diſcontinued, this is to deſire all perſons who are indebted, to come and ſettle their accounts, and either to diſcharge them, or give bond with ſecurity, if required, for their reſpective balances; and every perſon who delays to do ſo, may expect to have his account put into the hands of a lawyer, without reſpect of perſons. I have about 1500 l. ſterling worth of goods on hand, which I would ſell cheap; they are in good order, and of laſt year's importation.

ROBINSON DAINGERFIELD.

WILLIAM WADDELL, *Stay-maker*,

HAS juſt opened ſhop in the town of *Fredericksburg*, oppoſite to Mr. *William Reed*'s ſtore, and as he has juſt imported from *London* a complete aſſortment of every thing neceſſary in that branch of buſineſs, he flatters himſelf that he ſhall be happy enough to give ſatisfaction to all Ladies who ſhall favour him with their commands, being determined to ſerve them on the eaſieſt terms, and in the neateſt manner. 4t

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GEORGE the Third, by the grace of God, of *Great-Britain*, *France*, and *Ireland*, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. To the Sheriff of *Auguſta*, greeting. We command you that you ſummon *Charles Lange*, late of the county of *Auguſta*, to appear before our Juſtices of our county court of *Auguſta*, at *Staunton*, on the third *Tueſday* in *Auguſt* next, to anſwer a bill in Chancery, exhibited againſt him by *John Thomas*; and this he ſhall in no wiſe omit, under the penalty of 100 l. And have then there this writ. Witneſs *John Madiſon*, Clerk of our ſaid court, this 27th day of *June*, in the tenth year of our reign, 1770.

3w JOHN MADISON.

GEORGE the Third, by the grace of God, of *Great-Britain*, *France*, and *Ireland*, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. To the Sheriff of *Fairfax*, Greeting. We command you, that you ſummon *Abraham Hargiſs*, late of the county of *Fairfax*, to appear before our Juſtices of our county court of *Fairfax*, at *Alexandria*, on the third *Monday* in this month, to anſwer a bill in Chancery, exhibited againſt him by *John Glaſsford*, of *Glaſgow*, merchant; and this he ſhall in no wiſe omit, under the penalty of 100 l. And have then there this writ. Witneſs *Peter Wagener*, clerk of our ſaid court, this firſt day of *March*, in the tenth year of our reign, 1770. 3 m P. WAGENER.

THE tract of LAND lying in *Albemarle* county, on *Turkey Run*, a branch of *Hardware* river, advertiſed to be ſold by the ſubſcriber on the 10th of *May* laſt, not being yet diſpoſed of, this is to give notice that the above tract, containing 670 acres, will be ſold at *Albemarle* court-houſe, on *Thurſday* the 9th of *Auguſt*, it being court day, either together, or in lots, as will be moſt agreeable to the purchaſers. One half of the money to be paid down, and ſix months credit for the other half, on giving bond, with good ſecurity, to ROBINSON DAINGERFIELD.

Mr. *John Walker*, of *Albemarle*, will attend the ſale and take bond. t d f

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IT appears by my grandfather's and father's wills, that my ſiſters fortunes are to be raiſed by ſale or mortgage of any part of my lands: This is to give notice, that I ſhall ſhortly have my lands, which I hold in the county of *Culpeper*, laid off in lots, ready for ſale. As my lands are all intailed, I ſhall, at the meeting of the General Court, get an order to ſatisfy thoſe who have a mind to become purchaſers, that they run not the leaſt riſk. ALEXR. SPOTSWOOD.

RUN away laſt *April*, out of the fork of *James River*, in *Albemarle* county, a Negro man, named ADAM. he is a midling large fellow, and had on when he went away, an oznabrig ſhirt, a cotton jacket and breeches, his coat has hearts on the hips, behind, and on the ſhoulders, doubled and quilted, with horn buttons, a new bound hat, a remarkable large ſcar acroſs his left foot; he is an outlandiſh fellow, has a down look, and ſpeaks broken Engliſh, has been taken up near Col. *Byrd*'s on *James River*, was brought up into *Goochland* county, and there made his eſcape, and I expect he will make down that way again. Whoever takes up the ſaid fellow, and conveys him to me, in the fork of *James River*, ſhall receive forty ſhillings reward, beſides what the law allows.

6 w MARTIN KEY.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, in *Cumberland* county, the 5th of *June*, an indented *Iriſh* ſervant man, named *Richard Walſh*, about 22 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, remarkably well ſet, full faced, a fair complexion, light brown curled hair, large eye brows, frowns when he ſpeaks, has a down look, and pretends to underſtand ditching and gardening: He took with him a felt, or caſtor hat about half worn, a blue plain ſhort coat and breeches, a ſhort white plains waiſtcoat without ſleeves, an *Iriſh* linen ſhirt, and ſeveral oznabrigs ones, a pair of black knit worſted breeches, ſeveral pair of oznabrigs trowſers, a pair of plain white, and a pair of blue ribbed yarn ſtockings, and *Virginia* made ſhoes with buckles in them. Whoever will convey the ſaid ſervant to me in *Cumberland* ſhall have three pounds reward, and if taken 60 miles from home five pounds. All maſters of ſhips and others are requeſted not to entertain him.

WILLIAM FLEMING.

N. B. He was ſeen the day before he went off with a *Scotch* ſervant woman, who calls herſelf *Mary Tanker*, alſo run away, belonging to Mr. *William Gay*.

CAME to my houſe, on *Friday* the 17th of *November*, 1769, a horſe and mare, they are both bay. The mare is about 4 feet 9 inches high, branded on the near buttock WA, and has ſome ſaddle ſpots. The horſe is about 4 feet 6 inches high, branded on the near buttock F, and has ſome ſaddle ſpots on his back. Poſted, and appraiſed the mare to 2 l. and the horſe to 4 l. The owner may have them again, on paying charges, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living near Capt. *Roan*'s mill.

THOMAS RYLAND.

VIRGINIA, *ſc.*

At a General Court held at the Capitol, the 5th day of May, 1770.

The Hon. John Tayloe, Eſq; *plaintiff*, *againſt* William Alexander, & Sons, *merchants*, *in* Edinburgh, *and* Andrew Grant, *merchant*, *defendants*, } In Chancery.

THE defendants *William Alexander*, and Sons, being beyond ſea, and not having entered their appearance, according to the rule of this court, on the motion of the plaintiff, it is ordered, that the other defendant, who hath effects of the ſaid *Alexander*, and Sons, in his hands, as is ſuggeſted, do not pay, convey away, or ſecrete ſuch effects, until the further order or decree of this court, concerning the ſame; but that he deliver up ſuch effects, or ſo much thereof as will be of value ſufficient to ſatisfy the demand of the plaintiff, unto the ſaid plaintiff, upon his giving ſecurity to the clerk of this court, for the return of ſuch effects, in ſuch manner, and to ſuch perſons, as this court ſhall hereafter adjudge. And it it is further ordered, that the ſaid defendants, *William Alexander*, and Sons, do appear here on the firſt day of the next court, to anſwer the bill of the ſaid plaintiff, and that a copy of this order be, within fifteen days, inſerted in the *Virginia* Gazette, for two months ſucceſſively, and publiſhed on ſome Lord's day, immediately after divine ſervice, in the church of the pariſh of St. *Paul*, in the county of *Stafford*, and poſted up at the front door of the Capitol, in the city of *Williamsburg*.

BEN: WALLER.

WILLIAMSBURG, *May* 4, 1770.

AS I am determined for the future to receive more money, or have leſs buſineſs in the way of my profeſſion, I take this method, in order to prevent unneceſſary applications, of declaring, that I will not for the future undertake the management of any cauſe, unleſs my fee is firſt paid down, or a bond given for it payable, with intereſt, 12 months after the date of ſuch bond: Nor will any letter to engage me in any cauſe, for the future, meet with the ſmalleſt attention, or anſwer, that does not incloſe either the fee, or ſuch bond for it; and that no perſon may be deceived, they will pleaſe to obſerve, that it is my determined reſolution, to put every ſuch bond in ſuit, which is not diſcharged within one month after it becomes payable. Every perſon who favours me with their buſineſs upon the above terms, will meet with my grateful acknowledgments, and may depend upon the exertion of my utmoſt abilities to ſerve them. With regard to thoſe, who, at the time they pretended to be my friends, could cooly ſet ſtill, and ſee me reduced to the neceſſity of ſelling my ſlaves to a very great diſadvantage, and yet with-hold the ſmall ſums due to me, which, if paid, would have removed that neceſſity, I leave it to their own hearts to determine, whether they deſerve any further indulgence. Every perſon therefore indebted to me before the firſt day of *January* laſt, who does not before the firſt day of *Auguſt* next, either ſend the money due, or a bond for the ſame, payable with intereſt in 12 months, may depend upon being ſued immediately after that time, in the General Court, if the ſum due amounts to Ten Pounds, and in any county I can catch him, if under that ſum.

THOMSON MASON.

RUN away from *Greenwich* in *Glouceſter* county, on the 3d of *January* laſt, a likely Negro man, named *Adam*, about 23 years of age, 6 feet high, of a yelloviſh complexion, and has a down look; he is by trade a cooper and ſawyer, and can read and write. Before he went off, he was heard to ſay that he intended for *South-Carolina*. He carried with him ſundry cloaths, among them one ſuit of grey cloth, and a pair of white yarn ſtockings, and generally wore ſteel buckles in his ſhoes. Whoever apprehends the ſaid ſlave, and conveys him to me, ſhall, if taken in *Virginia*, have 5 l. reward, if in *North-Carolina* 10 l. and if in *South-Carolina* 20 l. beſides what the law allows; or if confined in any gaol, and notice is given, half the above rewards will be allowed. JOHN FOX.

N. B. He has lately been ſeen in and about *Williamſburg*, paſſing for a free man, and by the name of *Peter Banks*.

RUN away on the 19th of *June* from the ſubſcriber, living on *Middle Creek*, *Frederick* county, *Virginia*, a ſervant man, named *Thomas Mulrain*, of a ſwarthy complexion, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, born in *St. Kitts*, in the *Weſt-Indies*, but chiefly bred in *Scotland*, has a down look, wants one of his fore teeth, and had a mole on the ſide of his neck; had on when he went away, a ragged ſhirt, tow trowſers, an old felt hat, a lappeled country cloth jacket of a yelloviſh colour, new ſhoes, ſteel buckles. He ſerved 7 years, and has 5 more to ſerve; he has been formerly a ſervant to *John Combs*, on *Shannadore*, in ſaid county. It is ſuppoſed he went to ſome ſea port, in order to ſhip himſelf for the *Weſt Indies*. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and brings him home, ſhall receive twenty ſhillings reward, if taken up in the county, beſides what the law allows, and if taken up out of the county, forty ſhillings, beſides what the law allows, and if 100 miles from home, four pounds.

3w BATHOLOMEW FRYATT.

Indian creek, *Northumberland* county, *May* 30, 1770.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber three ſlaves, *viz.* a dark Mulatto named MICHAEL, about 5 feet 7 inches high, is well ſet, about 25 years old, by trade a ſhoemaker; alſo a light Mulatto, about the ſame ſize, named LEWIE, one of his arms has been broke, which occaſions a ſtiffneſs in it; he is a brother of *Michael*'s, and are ſuppoſed to be together; alſo a Negro, about 40 years old, named WILL, by trade a carpenter, about 5 feet 6 inches high; he is ſuppoſed to be at *York*. Whoever will deliver them to me ſhall receive TWENTY SHILLINGS reward for each, beſides what the law allows. JOHN SMITH.

TAKEN up about three miles from *Suſſex* Courthouſe, a ſmall grey mare, appears to be about 4 years old, with a roach'd mane and ſwitch tail, one of her eyes are wailed, and a white ſnip on her noſe, ſhe is about 4 feet one inch high, and her hind feet are white, no brand perceivable. Poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l. THOMAS STOAKES, jun.

TAKEN up, on *Buffalo* river, in *Prince Edward* county, a large bay horſe, with a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, he paces ſlow, and is very poor, he is about 4 feet 9 or 10 inches high, and branded on the near buttock, but cannot be aſcertained, and on the off ſhoulder O. Poſted, and appraiſed to 6 l.

DAVID TYREE.

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